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Title: "METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING A PROCESSOR'S  
CLOCK FREQUENCY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE  
PROCESSOR'S TEMPERATURE"

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**METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING A PROCESSOR'S CLOCK  
FREQUENCY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROCESSOR'S TEMPERATURE**

which application is:

X the attached application \_\_\_\_\_ application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
(for original application) filed \_\_\_\_\_, and amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
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Application Number  
Priority Claimed

Country

Filing Date

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